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Ex Parte

William Caton
Acting Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Application by Verizon New England for Authorization To Provide In-Region, InterLATA Services in Vermont, CC Docket No. 02-7

Dear Mr. Caton:

On Friday, March 8, 2002, Rich Ellis, Don Evans, Dee May, Michael Glover and Karen Zacharia met with Deena Shetler, Tamara Preiss, Julie Saulnier, Julie Veach, Christine Newcomb, Richard Lerner, Jeff Carlisle and Dorothy Attwood of the Common Carrier Bureau to discuss pricing issues related to switching and DUF rates in the above application. The twenty-page limit does not apply as set forth in DA 02-111. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Richard T. Ellis".

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